

## WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

## A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Grant Application for the Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country)

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council established and delegated the Division of Health Programs ("DHP") to oversee public health departments on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation and to provide services to tribal members of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the DHP has comprehensive plans to improve services to tribal members, including continuing current programs while expanding services in the communities in Whiteriver, Cibecue, and McNary; and

WHEREAS, with permission of the Tribal Council, the DHP would like to apply for the Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country Grant, with an emphasis to connects individuals and community to culture with long-term goals of building resiliency; reducing morbidity and mortality due to heart disease, stroke, cancer, diabetes and reducing risk factors for all chronic disease among Native Americans; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe finds it in the best interest of the Tribe to authorize the Division of Health Programs to apply for the Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country Grant.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Division of Health Programs to apply for the Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country grant and delegating the Division of Health Programs Director as the point of contact for the process of the grant application.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances, or any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, this Resolution shall be deemed null and void and have no legal effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with a prior Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall supersede and govern over the conflicting subject matter.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice-Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

> The foregoing resolution was on JANUARY 17, 2018 duly adopted by a vote of NINE for, ZERO against, and ZERO abstentions by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it under the enumerated powers listed in Article IV, Section 1 of the WMAT Constitution, so ratified on September 30, 1993, and federally recognized pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary